

ZION'S BIG CAFE
IS IN TROUBLE

Louvre Catering Company
Now in the Hands of a
Receiver

JUDGE MORSE TAKES POSSESSION OF PLACE

Financial Difficulties Said to Be Due to Thefts of Em- ployees.

At the instance of the International Milling & Elevator company, the Loom Catering and Cafe company, doing business in the basement of the Semble hotel, went into the hands of a receiver Thursday morning. The milling company filed a suit for \$123.32. Judge Mosier in the equity division of the district court, appointed George F. Bond receiver. E. L. Wille, president of the concern, filed an answer, admitting the business and asked for a receiver to protect others of his creditors from the filing of a bond of \$10,000 Mr. Bond took charge of the business at the

Protecting Creditors.

Mr. Wille Thursday afternoon stated that he had been asked by the appointees of a receiver in order to protect the rights of his creditors. The largest creditors he said, had not been pushing their claims. He declared that each creditor should have an equal chance and that was the basis of his plan. Mr. Wille said further that he hoped the matter would be adjusted in a short time and to return charge of the cafe. He expects to remain in Salt Lake City, he said.

The Chinese creditors, it is understood, are a big factor in the hour conference. Denver's largest liquor companies and Salt Lake City cigar companies and a bank here.

About four months ago, it is said, certain creditors began to make trouble for the Louvre Catering and Cafe company and at that time it was decided to assign

Reason for Assignment.

One of the principal reasons assigned is the big cafe losing money is the repeated number of thefts alleged to have been committed by the employee. He was a short time ago arrested and bound over to the district court. It is estimated that in a period of three months the cafe was robbed of an average of \$10 a month by employees.

A fine of \$100, imposed for selling liquor to minors, was assessed against the

The case had been continued on notes of appeal, and when called Wednesday in Judge Whitaker's court and no one appeared for the defendant an execution was ordered. Deputy Sheriff Andy Sall attempted to serve the execution Tuesday afternoon, but was told by the receiver that no claims against the Loun

would be recognized until adjusted in the courts. This adds a new legal complication which may result in the loss to the city of the fine.

PAWNBROKERS PROTEST AGAINST LICENSE ADVANCE

None of the pawnbrokers in the city

Four of the most prominent pawnbrokers in the city appeared before the licensing committee of the city council last evening, accompanied by Attorney Allen T. Sanford, to protest against the increase of the pawnbrokers' license from \$100 to \$200 a year. As only two members of the licensing committee were present, the protestants consented that the matter go over for a week. They accordingly will pay the license fee as now provided, and should the council see fit to place the license at the old figure, a refund will be made.

The municipal laws committee decided to recommend to the council the presentation, to the secretary of state, of a joint resolution to be presented by him to the legislature, asking for an amendment to the constitution to authorize counties, cities and towns to incur an additional expense of 4 per cent over the present 4 per cent authorization, for the purpose of owning and operating coal

**MOTHER SAID TO HAVE
AIDED GIRL'S DOWNFALL**

C. W. Hanley, proprietor of a saloon at Fifth South and State streets, was arrested upon a felony charge at the in-

The juvenile court officials also say that they have proof that the girl's mother was cognizant of the intimacy between Hanley and the girl and that she permitted it without protest.

**FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION
RE-ELECTS OLD OFFICERS**

at headquarters, the following were re-elected, as follows: A. Baker, president; Fred Gulbranson, vice president; Reuben Simpson, treasurer; A. Ekrem, secretary. The following directors were chosen: G. Andrews, W. T. Ryland, Dave Stevens, George Ottlinger and David Mills. The report of Treasurer Simpson showed a balance of \$104.43 in hand after deducting all expenses for the year. Since the inception of the receipts

Inspect Negro Clubs.

Members of the committee, accompanied by Chief of Police Barlow, made an inspection of a number of negro clubs Thursday afternoon to pass upon applications for liquor licenses. The clubs visited were the Moon's club

are as follows: Railroad men's club, 139 East Second South; Douglas club, 36 Edison avenue; Dunbar club, 15 South State; State Street club, 43 Commercial avenue; American club, 43 Commercial; Chesterfield club, 217 West Second.

In Annual Gathering.
More than 400 members of the Mormon church gathered in the first ward chapel Thursday in a sort of annual reunion. The ward sang several songs and the men talked.

and several of the older folks. The music mostly was of a sentimental nature, to please the older folks. A banquet was served at 6 o'clock in the evening, to which about 400 sat down. The arrangement in arranging the day's

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